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**In RE: Application of Ulrike STOEHR, et al**

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**AMENDMENT**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 31, 2006, please make the following changes and consider the following REMARKS: